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(Case No. 00-1237-A)

In the Application of:)

Rajgarhia et al.)

Serial No. 09/992,430)

Filed: November 23, 2001)

For: Methods and Materials for the
Synthesis of Organic Products)

Before the Examiner:

Group Art Unit: 1645

Confirmation No.: 5475

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Initial Patent Examination Division

Sir:

In regard to the above-identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached
 - a. Petition for Extension of Time
 - b. Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers
 - d. Thirty (30) sheets substitute drawings
 - g. Copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers
 - h. Return Receipt Postcard
2. With respect to additional fees:
 - a. An additional fee of \$410.00 is required.
3. A check in the amount of \$410.00 is enclosed.
4. Please charge any deficiency in the amount due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 13-2490. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
5. **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8:** The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the papers, as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as "First Class Mail" in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on this 6th day of January, 2003.

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS
MAILED SEPTEMBER 4, 2002

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Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, mailed September 4, 2002, Applicants submit herewith an executed copy of their Declaration, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.63 and 1.68. Also submitted are thirty (30) sheets of substitute drawings in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.84.

Respectfully submitted,
McDonnell Boehnen Hulbert & Berghoff

Date: January 6, 2003

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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - Numbers, letters, and reference characters must measure at least 0.32 cm (1/8 inch) in height.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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